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Amendment

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Offered by:

SEN. MCLACHLAN, 24th Dist.

To: Senate Bill No. 775

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**"AN ACT CONCERNING THE PUBLICATION OF THE
CONNECTICUT SITING COUNCIL REPORT OF LOADS AND
RESOURCES BIENNIALY."**

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) (a) Notwithstanding any
4 other provisions of the general statutes or any special act, each
5 municipality shall authorize the zoning authority of the municipality
6 or any other existing land use board or commission to regulate the
7 location of telecommunications towers proposed by developers. The
8 zoning authority or other land use board or commission shall approve,
9 modify or deny each such proposal.

10 (b) The decision of the zoning authority or land use board or
11 commission may be appealed to the Connecticut Siting Council. The
12 council may reverse or affirm or may modify or revise the decision by
13 a vote of seven or more members."